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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/963,670; Filed: September 27, 2001
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Inventors: Dworkin *et al.*
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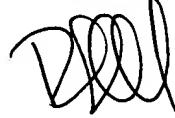
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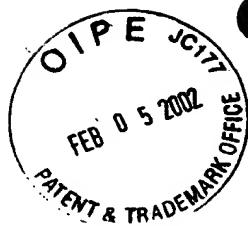
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